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## SPEAKER KRISTENSEN PRESIDING

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Good morning and welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. This morning our chaplain for the days is Sister Ann. Sister Ann is from the Marion Sisters the Marion Motherhouse here in Waverly, from Senator Raikes' district. Sister.

SISTER ANN: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: I call the forty-eighth day of the Nebraska Legislature to order. Senators, please check in. Roll call.

CLERK: I have a quorum present present, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: No corrections, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Just one item. I have an appointment letter from the Governor appointing certain individuals to the Arts Council. That will be referred to Reference Committee for referral to Standing Committee for confirmation hearing. That's all that I have, Mr. President. (See pages 1235-36 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Before we begin legislative action this morning, Senator Beutler would like to recognize Dr. Chris Tomhave of Lincoln who is serving as our family doctor of the day. He's under the north balcony. Doctor, would you please stand and be recognized? Thank you for being here. We'll next move to Legislative Resolutions, LR 337. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, 337, introduced by Senator Tyson, Hilgert and Brown, found on page 1058 of the Legislative Journal.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Tyson.